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DETAILED ACTION

Response to Amendment

The reply filed on 20 August 2004 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): All claims that contain the status "Previously New" and "Cancel" do not comply with 37 CFR 1.121(c). All claims that recite the text of the claim and have the status of "Cancel" do not comply with 37 CFR 1.121(c)(4)(i). See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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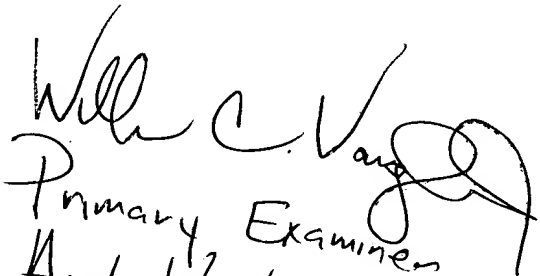
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